

PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER
 (Small Entity)

 Docket No.
 LS-006CV

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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

Jude S. Sauer

 For: **INSTRUMENT FOR GUIDED SURGICAL CUTTING OF TISSUE AND METHOD OF USE**

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☐ Information Disclosure Statement
☒ Request for Non-Publication of Application
☒ Applicant hereby claims small entity status
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REQUEST FOR NON-PUBLICATION OF APPLICATION

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §122(b), Applicant requests non-publication of the above-identified application. Applicant certifies that the invention disclosed in the above-identified application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multi-lateral international agreement, that requires eighteen-month publication.

Respectfully submitted,

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